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Goods Being Sold at One-Half Price or Less

New lot of Fancy Crockery ordered for Christmas selling cheap.

Stone cutters' supplies cheap.

Spaulding Base Ball Goods at one-half price.

Fishing Tackle one-half price.

Small Hardware less than one-half price.

Screen Doors and Windows on sale Wednesday at one-half price.

Mill and Quarry supplies at greatly reduced rates.

Glenwood Stoves, Ranges and Repairs.

## FORD A LIGHTWEIGHT

The German Press Thinks His Mission an Eccentricity

HIS CHANCE OF SUCCESS SLIGHT

Paris Paper Thinks Trip Is Humorous — Oscar II., a "Dreadnought of Peace"

Berlin (via London), Dec. 8.—The German press in general treats the Ford peace mission only as a manifestation of American eccentricity. According to opinion here, the mission will have but slight chance of exerting its efforts in Germany or other belligerent countries, in view of the fact that the passports of its members are good only for neutral countries, making it impossible for the mission to operate at much shorter range than if it had remained in New York. It would be possible, of course, for Germany to relax its regulations and permit the members of the Ford party to enter Germany without passports but in view of the German knowledge that the mission comes without official inspiration or the approval of Washington, it is unlikely to do so, according to present indications.

### FORD CHOOSES COMMITTEES.

Are Grouped to Meet Similar Bodies in Europe.

New York, Dec. 8.—Henry Ford Monday set in motion the machinery by which he hopes "to bring the boys out of the trenches by Christmas."

He began organizing peace committees from groups of clergymen, students and other classes aboard the ship. Even the newspaper men were drafted. Each of these committees will meet a corresponding body from a neutral country at the peace conference. They will work together in choosing an international commission to sit for the remainder of the war to receive or offer suggestions for peace. The commission's business primarily will be to give the widest publicity to all peace suggestions in

### How to Fight Tuberculosis

In a paper read last year before the Essex County Medical Society and published in part in the Louisville "Medical Progress," Dr. J. W. Corhart, of San Antonio, Texas, a physician who has devoted much time to the study of tuberculosis, said: "Since time immemorial man has been afflicted with tuberculosis, but it must be supplied in the foods or supplemented in mineral preparations, or natural starvation causes with tuberculosis unchecked. The widespread and unchecked spread of tuberculosis and other preventable diseases is due largely to the deplorable (time lacking) conditions of multitudes throughout the civilized world."

Thus from another authoritative medical source comes justification for the use of lime in the treatment of tuberculosis. Since this is one of the ingredients of Eckman's Alternative, much of the success attending the widespread use of this remedy doubtless is due to the combination of this salt in such a way as to render it easily assimilable. It causes no stomach disturbance, and since it contains neither opiates, narcotics nor habit-forming drugs, it is safe to try. Eckman's Alternative has effected remarkable results in numerous cases of pulmonary tuberculosis (consumption) and allied chronic affections of the throat and bronchial passages. In many instances such conditions, apparently, have yielded completely to it. In case your druggist is out of it, ask him to order, or send direct to Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia.



## Resinol Soap clears bad complexions

Pimples and blackheads disappear, red, rough, blotchy complexions usually become clean, clear and velvety, and hair health and beauty are aided by the regular use of Resinol Soap. It does its work easily, quickly and at little cost even when other methods fail.

Resinol Soap contains the soothing, healing Resinol medication which doctors prescribe for skin troubles. Sold by all druggists and dealers in toilet goods.

## EVERYONE LIKES THIS COLD CURE

"Pape's Cold Compound" Ends a Cold or Grippe in a Few Hours

Your cold will break and all grippiness end after taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffing! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute.—Adv.

contrast to the secret methods of diplomats.

### PARIS POKES FUN AT FORD.

One Newspaper Dubs the Oscar II. "The Dreadnought of Peace."

Paris, Dec. 8.—The French newspapers publish details of the Ford peace trip, some of them commenting on it. The Journal Des Debats devotes its first page to an article entitled: "The Dreadnought of Peace," and discusses in a facetious and ironical vein the voyage and the various interpretations that may be placed on the visit of the peace band to Europe. "In any case," says the paper, "Mr. Ford has all the requisite qualities entitling him not to be received by the public and powers of the various states of Europe. He merits special watching, for he is possessed of extraordinary originality of mind and can always become dangerous."

### WINTER IN THE ARCTIC.

Preparations Being Made by the McMillan Expedition; All Well.

New York, Dec. 8.—Word has reached the American Museum of Natural History that both the Crocker land expedition and a relief party sent to its aid will spend the winter ice-bound in the Arctic. Letters received from Donald B. MacMillan, leader of the Crocker land expedition, by way of Copenhagen, said that the men of his party were in good health and were preparing to spend the winter in the Arctic regions, and to continue explorations in the spring. Dr. Edmund O. Hovey, who is leading the relief party on the steamer George B. Hunt, reports his ship frozen in at North Star bay, 120 miles north of Etah, the base of the MacMillan expedition.

### ADAMANT

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Shuttle and son, Forrest, and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Horn were at the home of Earl Slayton in East Montpelier Sunday.

Henry Baldwin returned home Sunday from a week's hunting trip, bringing with him a fine deer.

Robert S. Pinney of Montpelier was in town Saturday on business.

Little Cecil Baldwin is very ill with bronchial pneumonia at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Mame Lawrence, Dr. Freeman of Plainfield attends him.

Mrs. Christine Martin has arrived from Utica, N. Y., and is to spend the winter with her husband, Philip Martin, at George Abair's.

Mrs. Lucy Sloane has returned to her home here with her daughter, Addie Parker.

Mrs. Robert Lowery of North Montpelier was a Sunday visitor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence White.

Guy Tohy, wife and baby were at Richardson's Sunday.

Arthur White, who had an operation some time ago and has been as well, is reported as slightly better the past week.

Walter Patch and wife went to visit relatives in Barre and East Barre Friday, returning Sunday. Alton Sloane and wife kept home for them.

School began again Monday with the same teacher, Mary Converse. She is boarding at Walter Patch's.

### DO YOU LIKE CANDY?

Close's Chocolates' centers are made in a Cream Department, equipped with automatic up-to-date machinery. From these centers go to the Chocolate Enrolling Room, where girls with gloves hand place them on the Enroller. The goods are covered with a rich coating of pure chocolate, and then pass automatically into the Packing Department where, again, girls place the finished product in new ground boxes, 15 to 18 varieties in each box.

### CLOSE'S High Grade Chocolates

Made Under Sanitary Conditions Only 50c per pound

THE GEORGE CLOSE COMPANY  
257 Broadway, Cambridge, Mass.

## IN LOCAL MARKETS

Dressed Pork Plenty, with Prices Easy, at 9@9 1/2c

FRESH EGGS COMING MORE FREELY

The Prices Obtained, However, Remain High, 42@44c

Barre, Vt., Dec. 8, 1915.

Dressed pork plenty with prices easy.

Fresh eggs coming more freely.

Wholesale quotations:

Dressed pork—9@9 1/2c.

Veals, best—11@12c.

Lambs—14@15c.

Poultry—17@18c.

Chickens—18@20c.

Fresh eggs—42@44c.

Potatoes—Quiet at 85c.

### RICKER'S MARKET REPORTS.

Moderate Supply of Market Products—Milk Cows \$40@50.

St. Johnsbury, Dec. 8.—Receipts at W. A. Ricker's market for the week ending Dec. 6 included:

Poultry—500 lbs., 10c.

Lambs—40, 4@7c.

Hogs—213, 5@6c.

Cattle—130, 2@7c.

Calves—450, 3@8c.

Milk cows—45, \$40@50.

### IN BOSTON MARKETS.

Fancy Henner Eggs 52@53c—Fancy Butter Prints 34@35c.

Boston, Dec. 8.—Jobbing quotations:

Butter—Fancy northern creamery tubs 32 1/2@33c, boxes 33 1/2@34c, prints 34@35c, fancy western creamery 31 1/2@32c, good to choice creamery 29@30c, fair to good 27@28c.

Cheese—Twin fancy 17 1/2@18c, fair to good 16 1/2@17c, Young America 18@18 1/2c.

Eggs—Fancy henner 52@53c, choice eastern 46@48c, fresh western extras 44@46c, prime firsts 41@42c, firsts 38@40c, storage extras 28@29c, firsts 26@27c.

### LIVESTOCK PRICES EASIER.

Best Grades of Beef Cattle, Calves and Lambs Lower at Brighton Market.

Brighton, Mass., Dec. 8.—At the Brighton stock yards yesterday morning beef cattle sold on a lower basis for all the best grades, the market being easier, owing to the big run of cattle in the West. Hogs were nominally unchanged, but lambs and calves were somewhat lower.

Beef cattle were easier, the best pair offered for the day bringing 7 1/2c. The range for tops was 7@7 1/2c, with good cattle at 6@7c and light steers at 5@6c.

Cows were also easier, except for canner stock. Best cows sold at 5@5 1/2c, with an occasional fancy heifer at 6c.

Good cows sold at 4 1/2@5c, ordinary cows at 3 1/2@4c and canners at 3@3 1/2c.

Bulls were also easy, best beef bulls selling at 5@5 1/2c, with bologna bulls at 3 1/2@4c.

There was an easier market for calves, best lots selling at 8@8c, with an occasional lot a trifle higher. Pair lots brought 7@7 1/2c, and grassers and drinkers 4@6c.

Hogs tended easier under reports of 80,000 receipts at Chicago Monday. Prices here were nominally unchanged, but buyers were very critical and the average required was higher than usual for a lot to pass. Best lots sold in a moderate way at 6 1/2@7c, though most of the sales were made at the lower figure. Rough lots sold at 3 1/2@4c, with hogs at 3c.

Lambs were in better supply and prices were lower at 6@8c. Sheep were also easier at 2@3c.

Demand for milk cows was only moderate, and with liberal offerings, prices were barely sustained. Ordinary cows sold at \$25@30, with good cows at \$30@35. An occasional three-can cow would bring \$40 or more.

### RANDOLPH

Miss Ethel Greene and Miss Ruth Jones came on Monday from Albany, N. Y., where they are attending the business college for their vacation over the holiday season with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Greene, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones.

Mrs. W. A. Jones returned from Rochester on Tuesday, where she had been during the illness and death of her cousin, Clayton Hubbard.

The ladies of the Baptist church held a sale of useful and fancy articles at their church vestry on Tuesday afternoon, which was well attended and patronized.

Mrs. E. A. Morse entertained the Silver Cross circle of King's Daughters at her home on Elm street on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Henry Johnson was the leader.

The Christian Brotherhood meeting held in the parish house on Monday evening was largely attended, and following the supper the male quartet, composed of H. J. Smithers, Dr. A. C. Bailey, Glenn Bailey and C. J. Stockwell, gave a selection, and this was followed by the address of Rev. Frank Plimley, who took for his subject, "Prohibition."

### SOUTH BARRE

Ed. Witham has begun work for Guy Howard in the store.

Miss Mary Morgan, who has been quite ill with pneumonia, is on the gain.

Wesley Person and Kenneth Wallace are on the sick list.

Mrs. Morris, who has been visiting her brother, George Allen, left to-day for her home in Cabot.

Miss Fannie Barney of St. Johnsbury was in South Barre Sunday visiting friends.

Mrs. Wickes is having a new house built on her lot at South Barre.

### SYRACUSE SPENDS NIGHT ON HOUSE-TOPS.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., July 18.—A gigantic figure 7 was seen all last night in the sky between here and Onondaga. Later it turned slowly into a question mark. All Onondaga and Onondaga Counties on trail of that 7th point. Public mass meeting called for this afternoon at state fair grounds.



## Sterling Gum The 7-point gum

PEPPERMINT - RED WRAPPER  
CINNAMON - BLUE WRAPPER

- 1 Crowded with flavor
- 2 Velvety body—NO GRIT
- 3 Crumble-proof
- 4 Sterling purity
- 5 From a daylight factory
- 6 Untouched by hands

⑦ What?

## SCHOLAR'S WIFE HELD AS RIOTER

Mrs. Frances Crane Lillie a Picket in Chicago Strike—Defied Police, Is the Charge.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Mrs. Frances Crane Lillie, wife of Prof. Frank R. Lillie of the University of Chicago and daughter of the late Richard T. Crane, ironmaster, was placed under bonds yesterday as a result of being arrested Monday afternoon while picketing for the striking garment workers on the west side.

Policeman Baumgartner placed Mrs. Lillie under arrest for alleged interference with him in the performance of his duty. As a consequence Mrs. Lillie was unable to be present at a mass meeting of university people Monday night in behalf of the strikers, although she herself had called the meeting.

Mrs. Lillie is one of the wealthy women who have been championing the striking garment workers. With Ellen Gates Starr and others she has taken her daily stand, no matter what the weather, in the first line of pickets, urging them on to struggle for their cause and defying the police to arrest her.

Miss Starr has been arrested several times. But Mrs. Lillie hadn't been able to get arrested once. Mrs. Lillie and Miss Starr have openly charged there was a peculiar favoritism by the police. They were charged with declining to arrest Mrs. Lillie because she was the daughter of a millionaire.

Monday night, after she had been released on bonds, Mrs. Lillie issued a vigorous protest against the organized forces of law in Chicago for their alleged connivance at police partiality toward the manufacturers in the strikes. She also protested against "My Bishop" (Bishop Charles P. Anderson of the Episcopal diocese of Chicago) for failing to champion the poor and defenseless during their hour of need.

## MARKET UP ON PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Steel Leads Movement; But Railroads and Other Investments Harden Perceptibly.

New York, Dec. 8.—Publication of the president's message was followed by further strengthening of the stock market. United States steel led the movement by a rise from its early price of 86 1/4 to 88 1/4. Railroads and other investments shares also hardened perceptibly.

## SAYS HOT WATER WASHES POISONS FROM THE LIVER

Everyone should drink hot water with phosphate in it, before breakfast.

To feel as fine as the proverbial fiddle, we must keep the liver washed clean, almost every morning, to prevent its sponge-like pores from clogging with indigestible material, sour bile and poisonous toxins, says a noted physician.

If you get headaches, it's your liver. If you catch cold easily, it's your liver. If you wake up with a bad taste, furred tongue, rusty breath or stomach becomes rancid, it's your liver. Sallow skin, muddy complexion, watery eyes all denote liver uncleanliness. Your liver is the most important, also the most abused and neglected organ of the body. Few know its function or how to release the dammed-up body waste, bile and toxins. Most folks resort to violent cathartics, which is a dangerous, salivating chemical which can only be used occasionally because it accumulates in the tissues, also attacks the bones.

Every man and woman, sick or well, should drink each morning before breakfast, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of Limestone phosphate in it, to wash from the liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible material, the poisons, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Limestone phosphate does not restrict the diet like cathartics, because it cannot salivate for it is harmless, and you can eat anything afterwards. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless, and any pharmacist will sell you a quarter pound, which is sufficient for a demonstration of how hot water and Limestone phosphate cleanse, stimulate and freshen the liver, keeping you feeling fit, day in and day out.—Ad.

Suffer  
No Longer  
from  
Indigestion

Do something for it, before it gets worse. Don't let it become chronic. The longer that it hangs on, the harder it is to shake off. This trouble will not right itself. It should be corrected; it may develop more serious results if it isn't attended to. You can get rid of your indigestion quickly and easily by promptly taking

## BEECHAM'S PILLS

a reliable family remedy for the stomach, liver, bile and blood. They are a helpful combination of medicinal herbs which start the gastric juices, help the process of assimilation, and carry off the impurities that clog the system and threaten to create disease.

Whenever you are troubled with indigestion, biliousness, heartburn, flatulence, sick headache or constipation—you can always depend on Beecham's Pills to

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